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Applicant: Kwang H. AN et al. Conf. No.: 2260
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For: VALVE PLATE STRUCTURE

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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April 22, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action dated October 22, 2003, the period for response having been extended three (3) month(s) until April 22, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This Response includes Amendments to the Claims; Amendments to the Drawings; Two sheets of corrected formal drawings; Scaled-up overlay for comparison; and Remarks.

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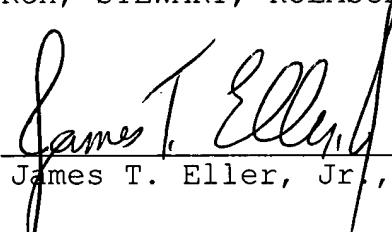
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Respectfully submitted,

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